

## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

Southern District of Texas  
FILED

September 13, 2022

Southern District Of Texas Brownsville Division

Nathan Ochsner, Clerk of Court

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

CRIMINAL COMPLAINT

vs.

Case Number: 1:22-MJ- 871

Jose Rafael FERNANDEZ-Mejia  
A079 079 843 Mexico

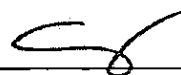
I, the undersigned complainant state that the following is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. On or about September 11, 2022 in Cameron County, in the Southern District Of Texas defendant(s) an alien who had previously been denied admission, excluded, deported, or removed, knowingly and unlawfully was present in the United States having been found in Cameron County, Texas, the said defendant having not obtained the consent of the Attorney General or the Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security to reapply for admission into the United States,

in violation of Title 8 United States Code, Section(s) 1326(a)(1)/(b)(1)I further state that I am a(n) Border Patrol Agent and that this complaint is based on the following facts:

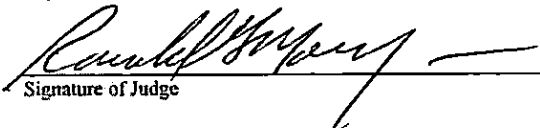
The defendant was encountered by Border Patrol Agents conducting Linewatch operations near Brownsville, Texas on September 11, 2022. The defendant is a citizen and national of Mexico who was previously deported, excluded or removed from the United States on April 25, 2022. The defendant was convicted of Alien Unlawfully Found In The United States After Deportation on October 06, 2021. Record checks revealed that the defendant has not applied for permission from the proper Authorities to re-enter the United States.

Defendant had no funds at time of apprehension.

Continued on the attached sheet and made a part of this complaint:

☐ Yes ☒ No  
Signature of ComplainantGarza, Carlos Border Patrol Agent  
Printed Name of Complainant

Submitted by reliable electronic means, sworn to, signature attested telephonically per Fed.R.Crim.P.4.1, on

September 13, 2022  
Dateat Brownsville, Texas  
City/StateRonald G. Morgan U.S. Magistrate Judge  
Name of Judge Title of Judge  
Signature of Judge